REMARKS

Claims 1-43 remain in the application for consideration.

Restriction/Election Requirement

The Office has required an election of claims that are directed to, in the

Office's opinion, the following species:

• Fig. 13 - software for displaying a static image while a video is

buffering;

• Fig. 15 - software for aiding the transition between two video clips

through the use of a frame from one of the video clips;

• Fig. 16 – software for aiding the transition between two video video

clips using a static image; and

· Fig. 17 play-lists.

Responsive to the restriction/election requirement, Applicant hereby elects

claims that are directed to the specie of Fig. 13. Those claims are as follows:

Claims 1-12 and 27-33.

Respectfully Submitted,

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